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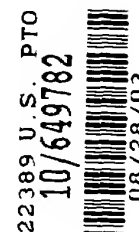
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Re: Application of **Sergio CIRIO** entitled

**DEVICE FOR SCREWING A CAP ONTO THE NECK OF A BOTTLE OR
SIMILAR CONTAINER**

Assignee: **AROL SPA**

Our Ref. **Q76842**

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 16 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 3 sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Please see attached preliminary amendment before calculating Government filing fee.

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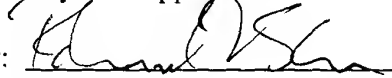
Priority is claimed from:

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Respectfully submitted,
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